

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Application of:	)	
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Massimiliano PAVAN et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 2883
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Application No.: 10/568,218	)	Examiner: Blevins, Jeremy M.
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Filed: August 26, 2008	)	
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For: OPTICAL CABLE AND OPTICAL	)	Confirmation No.: 6264
UNIT COMPRISED THEREIN	)	

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

**AMENDMENT**

In reply to the Office Action mailed December 23, 2009, the period for response having been extended to April 23, 2010, by a request for extension of one month and fee payment filed concurrently herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** follow the amendment section of this paper.